

New Powers Asked for Cleanup Boss

Two Persons Are Killed, 80 Hurt In Tornado Path

Storm Travels Over Four States During Night; Damage High.

Birmingham, Ala., Feb. 14. (AP)—Tornadoes tossed destruction into four states last night, leaving two persons known dead, about 80 injured and untold property damage. Funnel-shaped winds pounced from black and boiling skies in Tennessee, Alabama, Missouri and Arkansas. Hailstorms poured damaging pellets on Mississippi and other states.

A mother, Mrs. Mamie Dotson, 45, was fatally injured and three of her children hurt, one seriously, when a tornado hedge-hopped a zig-zag path through Decherd, Tenn., 80 miles southeast of Nashville.

At least 32 others were injured at Decherd and an estimated 75 homes were damaged. Four cars of a sidetracked freight train were blown off the tracks.

The toll in hard-hit North Alabama was one dead and 27 injured. Numerous houses in rural communities were wrecked.

The winds ripped building apart and wrapped heavy metal telephone cables around trees. Hail as big as baseballs was reported. A panic-stricken man leaped from a car into the funnel of a tornado near Adamsville, Ala., and was hurled away into the night. He was reported found later, not badly hurt.

Clarence Espey, 50, died when a storm tore his house apart at New Lexington, Ala. He was killed by a falling chimney.

Eight other persons were reported hurt in the same area.



By CLIFF CLINES and W. D. DIXON

For our salute to Vernon business men who help to make this a community which serves you better, we present today J. Lloyd Hill, manager of the B. F. Good-



LLOYD HILL

rich Store at 1730 Main. He was born at Valley Mills in 1906, attended school there until 1920 when he moved to Dallas and attended Oak Cliff High.

His first job was with the Don-

Edwin Smith Found Insane At Murder Trial Held Here

A 46th District Court jury deliberated only five minutes Thursday before finding Edwin L. Smith insane at the time of the shooting of John Williams, Negro shoe repairman, and insane at the present time.

Smith had been charged with murder in the Jan. 30 pistol slaying of Williams in a Vernon shoe repair shop. He had been indicted by the grand jury this week.

Smith will be certified to the Wilbarger County Court by Judge Jesse Owens and that body will then commit the 35-year-old Vernon man to a state institution.

District Attorney Leon Douglas pointed out that Smith could not be released from such institution until he was again tried for sanity by a Wilbarger County jury. By being adjudged insane at the time of the offense, Smith can never be tried for murder in

Full Investigation of Vice In McClennan County, Waco Ordered by State Panel

Waco, Feb. 14. (AP)—A full scale investigation of crime in Waco and McClennan County was ordered today by the Texas House of Representatives crime investigating committee.

Two Texas Rangers were in Waco today serving approximately 40 summonses to a hearing tomorrow and Saturday at Austin.

Announcement of the investigation was made to the Waco Times-Herald by Rep. Fred Meredith, Terrell, chairman of the committee.

The Waco area thus becomes the second to be singled out by the committee. Late last year an investigation was made of crime and gambling conditions in Galveston and Galveston County.

The surprise order was based on findings of undercover agents who

have been working in the Waco area for four months, Meredith said by phone from Terrell. "Findings of your gambling inquiry grand jury also had something to do with the committee eyeing your county," Meredith said. He referred to a grand jury which last April returned 20 indictments on gambling charges. The charges later were reduced to misdemeanors and the defendants were fined \$1,000 each.

Names of those summoned to appear in Austin were not immediately available, Meredith said the hearing, to begin at 9:30 a. m. in the civil appeals courtroom in the state capital, will be closed.

He added that proceedings will not be made public except for a statement which the committee will make on completion of the hearing.

Dr. E. S. Briggs Will Speak At Christian Church Sunday

Dr. Eugene S. Briggs, president of Phillips University, Enid, Okla., and former president of Lions International, will be the guest speaker at the Kick-off Dinner for the building fund campaign of the Central Christian Church, Sunday afternoon at 5:00. He will also speak at the church's evening service at 7:00 p. m.

Dr. Briggs has been president of Phillips for fourteen years, and was the Lions International president in 1949-1950. As president of Lions he toured much of the world. He is a leader in various educational and religious organizations. February 1 was the fourteenth anniversary of his inaugural as president of Phillips, which is a church-related school of 1,000 students serving the Christian churches of Oklahoma, Colorado, Kansas, Arkansas and Wyoming.

The Phillips president has headed two other colleges, Christian College of Columbia, Mo., and Southeastern State College, Durant, Okla. He was superintendent of public schools at Okmulgee,



DR. E. S. BRIGGS

Okla., for 10 years. A big, hearty, grey-eyed, broad-smiling man, Dr. Briggs has spent most of his life as a school teacher and administrator.

In addressing the kick-off dinner at 5 p. m. Sunday, Dr. Briggs will officially launch the general solicitation of the local church in its drive to collect \$130,000 for the erection of a new church building. Advance solicitation started this week under the leadership of Judge A. D. Green and his special gifts committee. Hollis Miller, general chairman of the campaign, urged every member of the solicitation committee to be present for the kick-off dinner. The dinner is for the workers and their wives.

The remaining schedule for the fund campaign calls for a first report meeting on Thursday, February 21; a second report on Monday, February 25; and a victory dinner for the entire congregation on Thursday, February 28.

Rev. Kenneth L. Tegarden, pastor of the church, announced that the general public was invited to hear Dr. Briggs at the evening service Sunday night at 7 o'clock. A special invitation was extended to all members of the local Lions Club to hear their former international executive.

Vernon Resident Dies at Dallas

Mrs. Jennie Pearl Bolton, 68, resident of Vernon for a number of years, died in a Dallas hospital Wednesday night following a long illness. Mrs. Bolton resided at 1100 Turner Street.

Funeral plans, under direction of the Underwood Funeral Home of Vernon are incomplete.

Surviving relatives include four daughters, Mrs. T. W. Henry of Vernon, Mrs. Annie Thomas, Mrs. Truett Knowles and Mrs. Buck Nix, all of Dallas; three sons, T. M. Lidster of Vernon, Johnny Lidster and Herbert Lidster, both of Dallas.

Weather

Temperature readings for the past 24-hour period ending at noon Thursday:

Maximum 69 degrees
Minimum 40 degrees
Noon reading 52 degrees
Forecast: Partly cloudy and cooler this afternoon with near freezing temperatures tonight. Friday partly cloudy and cool.

Insect Control Meet Scheduled

Control measures used in combating cotton insects will be the chief topic of a meeting to be held in the Wilbarger County Courtroom tonight at 7:30. K. P. Ewing, USDA entomologist from the Waco Experiment Station, will present the latest research on cotton insects to the group, and show slides to illustrate the work done at Waco.

George Davis, area entomologist, who was Wilbarger County entomologist last year, will review the work and results of the insect control program in the county in 1951.

Hearing Mr. Ewing, an outstanding authority on cotton insects, will be of benefit to all the farmers in this area, according to Wilbarger County Agent Frank Wendt, who is asking every cotton farmer who can to attend the meeting.

DEMOLISHED BY BLAST

Farmingdale, N. Y., Feb. 14. (AP)—A leaking gas main explosion demolished a small savings and loan association building yesterday and injured at least 15 persons.

President Still Undecided About Political Race

Tells Reporters He Is Not Yet Ready to Announce His Plans.

Washington, Feb. 14. (AP)—President Truman said today the question of whether to run for re-election confronts him with a difficult decision.

He told a news conference he is not yet ready to make any announcement, and that when he does have an announcement it will not be made through any third person.

It was the first time in many months the President has indicated there was any indecision in his mind about the matter.

Nearly a year ago he said he had made up his mind but was not ready to announce what he would do.

Today's statement spurred speculation he had meant he had made up his mind what he would do under certain circumstances.

The President would not say what questions he is debating in his mind that are causing the difficulty.

On the Republican side, there were signs that some backers of General Eisenhower for the GOP nomination are beginning to doubt he will get it unless he returns to the U. S. and enters an active political role.

There was a question of this view in a statement by Senator Morse (R-Ore) today that Eisenhower should consider it "much more" important to be elected President than to remain in Europe as commander of the North Atlantic defense forces.

Many of Truman's recent news conferences have been given largely to sparring with the reporters about his political intentions.

Insurance Credit Rating Received

Vernon has been established a fire insurance credit rating of 10 for 1952 to become effective March 1, according to an announcement today by State Fire Insurance Commissioner Paul H. Brown.

The credit or debit rating is set by the State Fire Insurance Commission to determine fire insurance rates for a city. The 10 credit rating means that Vernon residents will save that percentage on fire insurance rates in the city during 1952.

The credit rating last year was 15. Fire losses of almost \$84,000 in the city during 1951 caused the slight decrease.

Fire Chief L. L. Howell said that he was "very pleased" with the 1952 rating. He said that in view of the heavy losses during 1951 the rating could have been lower.

Two Quartets To Appear Here

Two noted quartets will appear in concert on the stage of the Wilbarger County Memorial Auditorium at 8 p. m. Thursday.

The Stamps Ozark Quartet of Wichita Falls will be joined by the Imperial Quartet of Dallas in a two-hour program.

The program is being sponsored by the Lions Club of Vernon and proceeds from the sale of tickets will be used to finance the Lions' optical program for children.

Tickets will be on sale at the door.

YOUNG MAN KILLED

Houston, Feb. 14. (AP)—En route home from a Valentine party, one young man was killed and a second critically injured today in an accident in which their car overturned six times. Killed on his way home from the party was Wayne Lee Lilja, 26, a Houston Transit Company bus driver. Critically injured was Edward Eugene Akin, 19, Joe Lansdale, 22, a truck driver, earlier was crushed to death in the cab of his telescoped truck.

CONDITION CRITICAL

San Antonio, Feb. 14. (AP)—Little Sue Ford, 6, brain tumor victim, remains in a critical condition at her home. Dr. Roger Haentges, the Belgian doctor who flew here 19 days ago in hopes of saving her life with a new medical treatment, is at her bedside.

New Plan To Swap POW Is Under Study

Reds Present New Offer to Allies in Try for Korea Truce.

Munsan, Korea, Feb. 14. (AP)—Communist truce negotiators presented a new prisoner exchange plan today incorporating some Allied ideas but clinging to their own demand for forced repatriation.

The Allies repeatedly have said they won't turn a single prisoner back to the Reds against his will.

The Communists have another new plan. It was drafted for the final clause of a Korean armistice. It will be unveiled Saturday before a full dress session of truce negotiators. The meeting was set for 10 a. m. (8 p. m. Friday EST).

Originally the Communists suggested a three-point recommendation for a high-level post-armistice conference: (1) withdrawal of all foreign troops from Korea; (2) settlement of the Korean peace, and (3) settlement of other Asian problems related to the Korean question.

The U. N. agreed in principle to the first two, but balked at discussing problems other than those directly connected with the Korean War.

Unusual Tax Refund Case Is Reported

Washington, Feb. 14. (AP)—Senator Williams (R-Ind) told the Senate today an Indianapolis brewing firm got a \$35,000 tax refund instead of a back tax bill for \$636,000 after it hired Joseph D. Nunan, Jr., as its lawyer.

Nunan is a former Commissioner of Internal Revenue. He quit the top Federal tax post June 30, 1947, to engage in the private practice of law. His office is in New York City.

While rules of the Internal Revenue Bureau restrict practice before it by former employees, Williams said in a Senate speech Nunan got a special waiver March 28, 1949, to represent the Indianapolis Brewing Company in a tax case. He quoted the waiver as saying that while the case had been pending when Nunan was Commissioner, he had not personally considered it.

Strike Fails to Cancel Flights

Houston, Feb. 14. (AP)—Eighty AFL maintenance men at Trans-Texas Airways went on strike early today but flight schedules were being maintained.

Contract negotiations which will begin Monday were at a standstill. P. S. Reid, assistant vice president in charge of operations, said.

Pickets were stationed at the company hangar at the Houston Municipal Airport, but company officials foresaw no disruption of schedules.

A Trans-Texas flight to Brownsville left Houston on schedule at 7:40 a. m., Reid reported.

The line has five inbound and five outbound flights daily at Houston.

Sam Hare, airline employee chairman for Local 744, International Association of Machinists, said the union struck after management balked at including a union shop issue during negotiations for a package agreement.

Supervisory personnel were standing by at Houston, headquarters for the airline, to fill in on the maintenance jobs, Reid said.

SEEKS FREEDOM

Fort Worth, Feb. 14. (AP)—Mrs. Doris Faye Barber, charged in the murder of Fort Worth Detective H. E. Cleveland, has asked that she be released from jail on a writ of habeas corpus. The writ was filed yesterday. Asst. Dist. Atty. John McLean said he would set a hearing on the petition for 2 p. m. tomorrow. Mrs. Barber, charged along with her husband, Robert H. Barber, Jr., with the slaying of the officer at their home a week ago, is in county jail in lieu of \$7,500 bond.

KILLED IN CRASH

Fort Hood, Feb. 14. (AP)—Pfc. John Lambdin, Anthras, Tenn., was killed yesterday when his car crashed into an embankment near Burnet, Texas. He was stationed at Lometa, Texas, for Fourth Army field exercises. Mrs. Elva Mae Snider, Llano, Texas, a passenger, was seriously injured.

Provisions for Settlement of Dispute Outlined

Board Recommends That Railroads Accept Demand by Union Members.

Washington, Feb. 14. (AP)—A presidential emergency board recommended today that the nation's railroads accept a demand by non-operating workers for a union shop clause in their contracts.

The board also approved a union demand for a mandatory dues checkoff provision.

The union shop is a form of compulsory unionism. It requires all employees to belong to a union and maintain dues payments. A worker becoming delinquent on his dues must be fired.

The dues checkoff requirement would mean union dues would be deducted by the railroads from workers' pay checks.

The board acted in a dispute between the railroads and 17 unions representing all rail workers who are not employed on moving trains. The three man panel held that the union shop is "now a common technique in labor contracts in American industry generally."

The board said a Government survey showed over 70 per cent of workers now covered by labor agreements have the union shop.

The board's finding is discretionary with the railroads. They do not have to accept the union shop. But a board member told reporters major railroads have never rejected an emergency board's recommendations.

The panel has been considering the issue for weeks.

CAB Findings in Crash Announced

Elizabeth, N. J., Feb. 14. (AP)—The Civil Aeronautics Board today indicated trouble in the right propellers caused the crash of the National Airlines plane here Monday that took 32 lives.

The announcement was made at an extraordinary news conference called by the CAB which usually does not make public any findings until its investigation is concluded.

Joseph O. Fluet, chief investigator, Region I, CAB, said the stricken plane "suffered loss of power on the right side which could have caused a yaw to the right and loss of flying speed."

Both of the right propellers have been torn down and examined, he added.

Fluet said the propeller blades on the right inboard engine of the four-engine plane were in full reverse position; on the right outboard engine the blades were feathered.

He explained that propellers normally are reversed only to create a braking action during the landing roll of a plane on a runway. It is never used in flight.

Feathering means the blades of the propeller are turned edge-on to the slipstream to present the least air resistance.

Such action usually is taken by a crew member in an emergency to stop an engine. It is done to reduce drag on the plane when something goes wrong with an engine.

This examination of the propeller assemblies led to the conclusion the plane had lost power from both right engines, Fluet said.

Rosalyn Wolfe Directed One-Act Play at VHS

Miss Rosalyn Wolfe directed the one-act play which won high applause at a training institute at Lubbock last week, it was reported here today.

It was erroneously reported earlier that the play was directed by another member of the class. Rosalyn also plays a part in the play. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kieth Wolfe of Vernon.

The play is a part of the Vernon High School speech department's regular semester work.

Industry Said Pleased With Southern Workers

Gainesville, Ga., Feb. 14. (AP)—Textile Executive Roger Milliken says industry is moving south for one basic reason—the Southern worker is eager to give a day's work for a day's pay.

The president of the huge Deering-Milliken textile industry spoke at the annual Gainesville Chamber of Commerce dinner.

He said the New England worker gets a higher hourly rate of pay, but the Southern worker, "with a better attitude toward work," takes home a larger annual income.

Allies Repel Sudden Push By Red foe

1,100 Communists Hurlled Back After Hour-Long Struggle.

Mundung Valley, Eastern Korea, Feb. 14. (AP)—An estimated 1,100 Communists tonight attacked Allied positions in the Mundung Valley but were thrown back after an hour-long struggle.

The attack, the largest in four weeks or more, was designed to cut through Allied defenses. There was no estimate of enemy casualties.

One Allied unit was almost surrounded for 30 minutes, but threw back the Reds without suffering a single casualty.

The attackers were believed to be Chinese Communists.

The Communists fell back under cover of smoke shells. For that reason it was impossible to see how many bodies lay on the valley floor.

The Reds attacked with small arms, automatic weapons, mortar and artillery fire.

The Allies came back with everything they had.

A platoon leader said Allied artillery and mortar fire burst in the midst of large groups of Communists.

Another Tideland Proposal Is Made

Washington, Feb. 14. (AP)—Sen. Case (R-SD) proposed today that a part of federal oil royalty revenues from lands beneath the marginal seas be distributed to the states for aid to education on a simple school enrollment basis.

The question of whether the states or the Federal Government—or both—should receive the royalties is still in controversy.

Case offered a bill today to earmark one-eighth of the revenue coming from within the three-mile limit offshore and one-half of that from all other federal submerged lands for state aid to education. The states would get directly three-eighths of the revenues from within the three-mile limit.

This proposal differs somewhat from one sponsored by Sen. Hill (D-Ala.). Hill suggests that all revenue from this source be dedicated to education and the formula for distribution among the states be determined later.

The Case bill would make a smaller amount available for schools. His measure would leave one-half of all revenues to the Treasury as a special fund to be used only at the direction of Congress.

STEEL SHORTAGE

Washington, Feb. 14. (AP)—Secretary of the Interior Chapman told a news conference yesterday enough steel was expected to be available this year for drilling only about 44,000 oil wells. He said if the nation's oil production is to be increased by 642,000 barrels daily by 1953, which it is estimated will be needed to meet demand, the nation will need 85,000 new wells.

Rules for Float Entries in Coming Parade Announced

Rules and regulations for float entries in the annual Santa Rosa Roundup parade here April 28 have been announced by the float committee of the Vernon Chamber of Commerce.

The entries will be limited to non-commercial organizations in the county. All entries must be at the office of the Chamber of Commerce on or before noon, April 10. Out of county floats will not compete against local floats.

In the case of a tie, the money for that prize will be equally divided. Float positions in the parade will be drawn by organization representatives at the chamber office April 15-16.

All competing entries must carry out the theme of "a western song title." Organizations have been asked to call the Chamber of Commerce and list the theme to be carried out in order to avoid duplications.

There will be three divisions of entries as follows:

Senior Decorative Float Division—Open to all adult non-commercial organizations. First prize \$200, second prize \$100, third prize \$50.

Junior Decorative Float Division—Open to all schools, school organizations or any junior organization. (This is a new division in the Santa Rosa parade). First prize will be \$150, second prize \$100 and third prize \$50.

Congress Asked To Okay Unusual Power for Morris

Legislative Authority Is Asked in Special Message on Thursday.

Washington, Feb. 14. (AP)—President Truman today asked Congress to give Cleanup Boss Newbold Morris power to subpoena any person or document he needs to investigate scandals in government.

The President asked the legislative authority in a special message submitted shortly after a news conference at which he said also that he will find office space for Morris and his staff outside the Justice Department—No. 1 agency on Morris' inquiry list.

Morris himself said shortly after his appointment as a special Assistant Attorney General that he didn't have subpoena powers and didn't want them.

"I'm not a prosecutor," he said. "I'm an investigator."

Morris, 50, socially prominent New York attorney, was picked Feb. 1 to take command of the long-demanded probe into tax scandals. He said his first job will be to investigate Attorney General McGrath's Justice Department. The Department has been under fire from some Congress members on the grounds that it did not press prosecution in cases of wrong doing.

Truman said at his news conference he had conferred with Morris about the latter's plans and announced in a statement: "I intend to see to it that Mr. Morris has access to all information he needs that is in the possession of the executive branch, and the authority to examine and require testimony of all officers and employees of the executive branch."

The statement also said: "In many cases where Government employees have been subject to outside influence, the most essential evidence is not in Government hands."

"Mr. Morris cannot conduct a thorough-going and effective investigation of such cases as these unless he has the power to subpoena witnesses and documents from outside the Government."

Member of Pioneer Ellis County Family Succumbs

Dallas, Feb. 14. (AP)—Mrs. Texie Loyd Young, 81, a member of a pioneer Ellis County family, died yesterday in a Dallas hospital.

Mrs. Young, born in Italy, Ellis County, had lived in Dallas 35 years.

Mrs. Young's husband, Matthew G. Young who died in 1933, was one of the organizers and first president of the Jefferson Bank and Trust Company, which now is the Oak Cliff Bank and Trust Company. Young also was a former president of the Citizens National Bank at Blooming Grove.

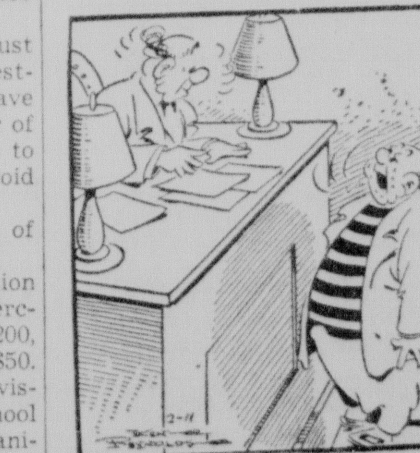
She attended Mary Nash Seminary in Sherman, which later became Kidd-Key College, and Baylor University.

Rules for Float Entries in Coming Parade Announced

Novelty Entry Division—Any vehicle that does not lose its identity, although it may be decorative, such as buggy, stage coach, etc. Open to either senior or junior organizations. Only one prize of \$50 will be awarded to winner in this division.

Members of the float committee of the Chamber of Commerce are Mrs. Ben Boston, chairman, Mrs. Harry Colley, Mrs. B. T. Juvenal, Mrs. Frank Long, Mrs. J. B. Gold-

Mrs. Emil Kester, Mrs. Ray Koonz, Mrs. Claude Bildstein, Mrs. W. P. Thomas and Mrs. Lloyd Hill.

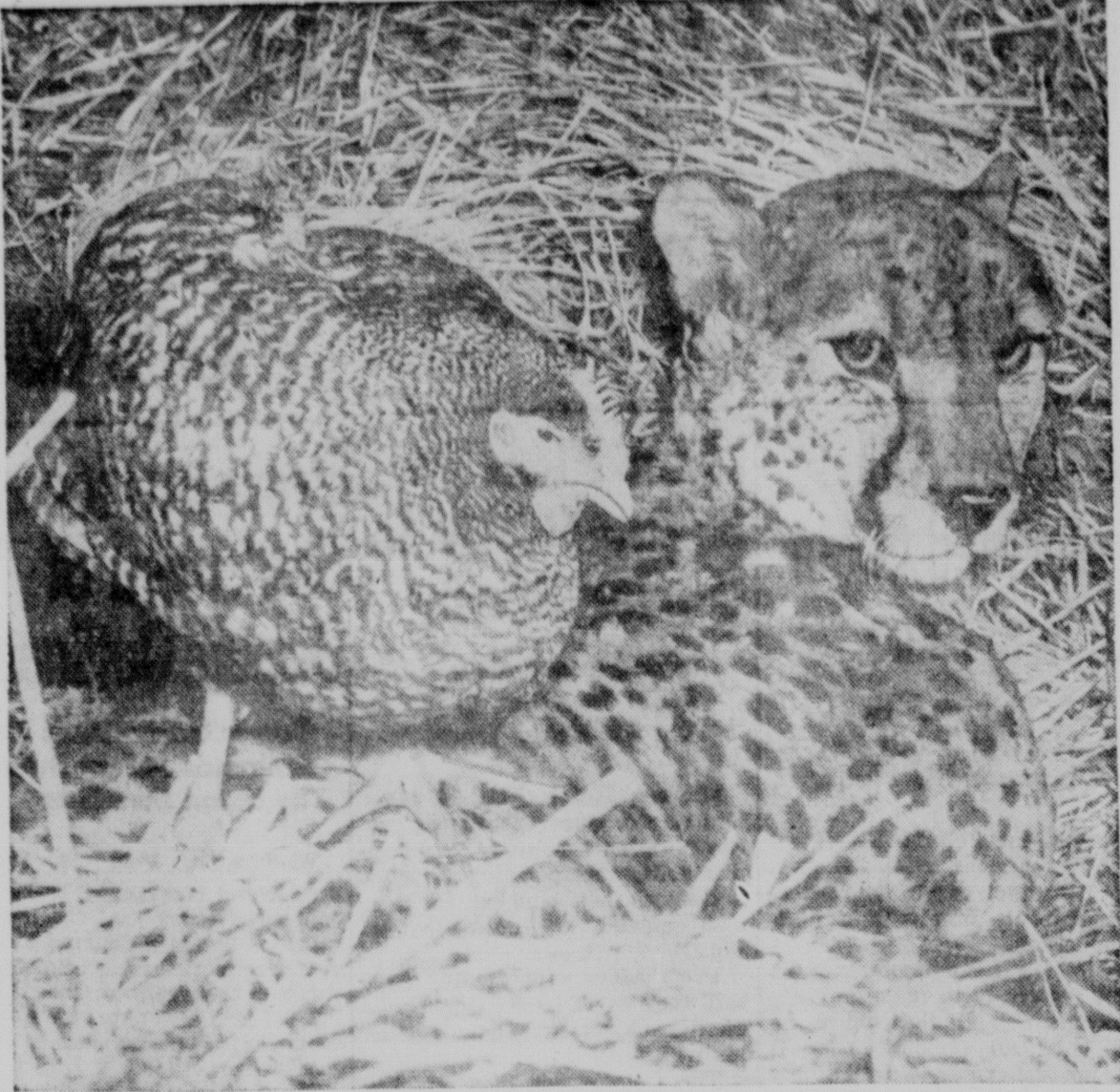


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Britain Makes Final Plans To Bury Her Dead Monarch

London, Feb. 14. (AP)—The little town of Windsor boarded up the windows along its narrow main street against the expected crowds. Twenty-five thousand Britons patiently lined up in cold and slush outside Westminster Hall to pass in homage before the flag-draped, jewel-topped coffin. The Elder Brother reportedly asked his queen-niece for permission to stand honor guard beside the body of the man who filled the throne he gave away. Thus Britain made final preparations to bury her late King George VI. It was the last of three days' lying-in-state in the cold stone hall of Westminster. Tomorrow morning the King's body will be taken to Windsor Castle for burial beside the remains of many of his predecessors on the British throne. The Duke of Windsor—ex-king Edward VIII, who left the throne for love of an American divorcee, was in an unprecedented historical situation. He is the first king of England to attend the funeral of the man who succeeded him on the throne. Unconfirmed reports in London said he suggested to his mother that he be allowed to stand a turn as honor guard. Queen Mary, 84-year-old widow and mother of sovereigns, reportedly sent him to her grand-daughter, the new Queen Elizabeth, to seek the permission only the sovereign could grant. If Elizabeth approves, Windsor and his only remaining brother, the Duke of Gloucester, along with the Queen's husband, the Duke of Edinburgh, reportedly would stand a ceremonial 20-minute guard alongside the coffin later today. George VI's sons stood such a guard at his lying-in-state. Today was the last day for Britons to pay formal homage to the sovereign who, since his death

eight days ago, they have dubbed "George the Good." The people began lining up in sleet, snow and an icy wind shortly after the doors closed at 3:25 a. m. on yesterday's mourning throngs. An hour before the iron-studded oaken portals opened this morning, the line stretched a quarter of a mile. By opening hour at 8 a. m., police estimated 25,000 were queued. In the first two days, 185,092 walked softly past the bier. At Windsor, a short distance west of London, the mile-long route from the little railway station where the body will arrive to the grey walls of hill-topping Windsor Castle where it will be taken was being draped in the black and royal purple of mourning. The boarded windows showed shopkeepers remembered the crowds who were pushed through the glass during the funeral of George V in 1936. The funeral also was a source of profit to some. Window space along the procession route was being sold at prices from 1 guinea (2.94) to more than five guineas (\$14.70). Even the vicar of Windsor's Parish Church of St. John the Baptist was charging spectators a guinea each to swell a fund for restoring his church. About 21,000 people live in Windsor. Many more thousands already were beginning to arrive, hoping for standing room on sidewalks only six feet wide. Inside St. George's Chapel in the castle—where the burial will take place—special broadcasting and television circuits were installed to carry to the British people descriptions of the last procession. The funeral ceremony was painstakingly rehearsed to avoid the 1½ hour delays that occurred during the funeral of George V. The Duke of Windsor made



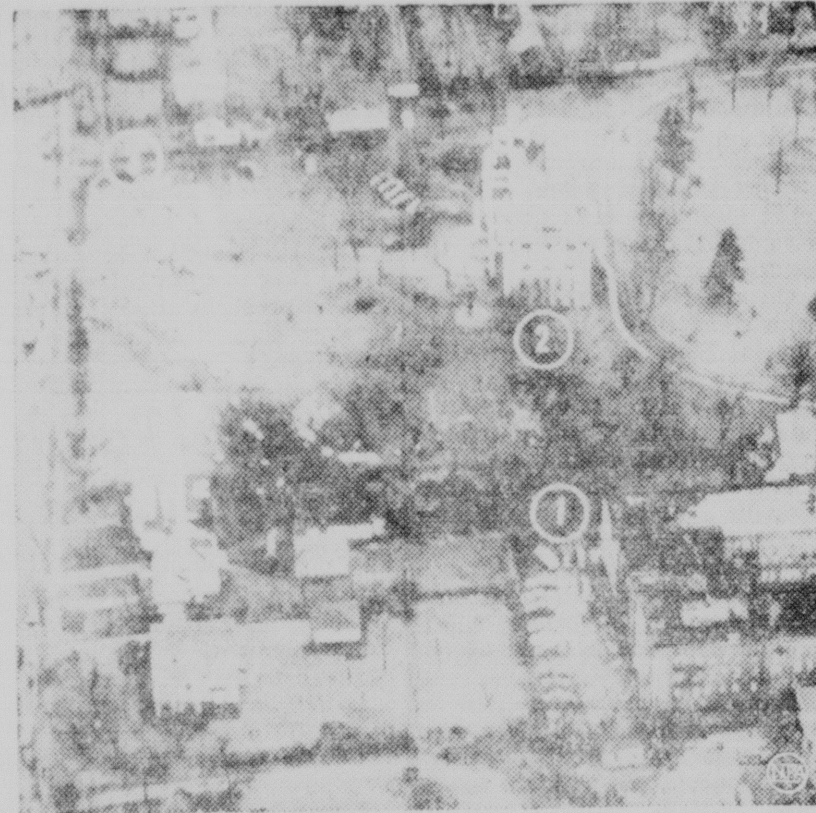
BIDDING HIS TIME—A cheetah is a particular cat on things pertaining to his diet. These wild animals from India enjoy a good chicken dinner every day in the year, but this one obviously wasn't hungry when the photo was taken at a wild animal exhibit in Chicago. However, that chumminess between the cheetah and the chicken was undoubtedly short-lived.

homage to his dead brother last night.

He went to the bier with his aged mother and his sister, Mary, the Princess Royal. The twin lines of public mourners were halted. Queen Mary, wearing deep mourning and carrying a tight-rolled umbrella, advanced slowly toward the bier of her son, the third of her five boys to die before her.

A pace behind her came the Duke. The Queen Grandmother stopped, and as her gaze passed to the coffin her lips moved silently, perhaps in prayer. She touched a handkerchief to her eyes. Windsor stepped forward and took his mother's arm for a moment. Then he dropped to one knee near the catafalque and put his head down upon his right hand. A minute later he arose. But the Queen Grandmother, her eldest son and her daughter stood silently for another moment, then Windsor again sank slowly to his left knee and bowed his head. After several minutes he again arose, and as the three family mourners reached the stone archway of departure, they turned for one more look at the coffin. The slow file of mourners began again their shuffle past the coffin.

Lafayette Square in Washington, D. C., is named for the Marquis de Lafayette.



Airborne War Games Explained

Camp Drum, N. Y., Feb. 14. (AP)—Airborne operations are fitted into the Army's plans as a method of winning a battle, but not necessarily a war. This is the purpose of the maneuvers in "exercise snowfall," to improve upon the tactics and equipment of a type of fighting that has helped defeat enemies in World War II and the Korean conflict. Exercise snowfall is training in a particular part of a specialized phase of war—the art of putting down soldiers into an Arctic battle area from the air, by parachute or by transport plane, and then keeping them supplied and equipped by the same method. This exercise involves more paratroopers than any operation since the big combat "jumps" of

men in World War II. An entire division, the 11th Airborne of Fort Campbell, Ky., is taking part in these war games. What is learned here may be critically important if war with Soviet Union should demand that Americans fight in Russian Winter. Airborne strategists say a paratroop force has a high potential value, even if it is not actually committed to action.

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RELEASE 100 HORNETS

Rome, Feb. 14. (AP)—Pro-Fascist students released 100 hornets today during a lecture at Rome University of Prof. Umberto Calosso. Calosso, who spoke for Italy from BBC studios in London during World War II, has been under attack by pro-Fascist students for some time. Last month he was smeared with red paint while leaving the university.

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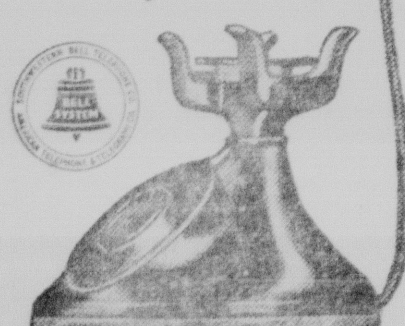
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Dust Storm Moves Into Louisiana

(By The Associated Press)
Texas palmed off its latest dust storm on Louisiana today and settled back for more mild weather—dry, of course.
In the early morning hours the dust haze rolled across the Sabine River and began fertilizing Louisiana with some of West Texas' best top soil.
Winds dropped to a whisper in the Panhandle and far west and visibility lifted in East Texas as the dust moved on. Around mid-night Dallas and Fort Worth visibility fell to three miles. It was four miles a little later at Tyler.
The U. S. Weather Bureau said the passing of the cool front left little chance for rain in arid areas. Yesterday light rains fell in Dalhart, Texarkana and Waco. Beaumont and Corpus Christi got their moisture in the form of heavy ground fog.
The high afternoon temperature yesterday was 85 degrees at Laredo.

FIND \$500

Dallas, Feb. 14. (AP)—George M. Morris, president of a Kansas City grain storage company, was fined \$500 and given a six-month probationary jail sentence yesterday on bribery charges. He was charged with giving money to Stephen G. Benit Jr., former official of the Dallas Production and Marketing Commission Office. Benit was fined \$500 and received a suspended sentence Tuesday for bribe taking. Government attorneys said the payments were intended to insure that Benit would see that Morris' Shawnee, Okla., warehouse continued to receive government grain storage business.

Congressional Approval of UMT Bill Is Being Forecast

Washington, Feb. 14. (AP)—Chairman Russell (D-Ga.) of the Senate armed services committee today predicted congressional approval of a broad system of Universal Military Training (UMT).
While conceding some lawmakers were wavering in the face of vocal opposition by churchmen and others, Russell said:
"I can't conceive of the Senate rejecting this bill."
"UMT is the only apparent solution of the problem of giving this country adequate security without the risk of national bankruptcy."
He told reporters he believes House approval also is certain.
"It is my sincere hope we can have a modest start on UMT this calendar year," he said, "and that we'll have it on a substantial basis within 12 months."
Russell said he hoped to wind up public hearings today with testimony by 18 witnesses and send the bill on to the Senate "some time next week."
He said he probably will not

Damage by Dam Offset by Pumps

Brownsville, Feb. 14. (AP)—A shutdown of irrigation pumps between Los Fresnos and Brownsville took care of an earthen dam Mexican workers had thrown up across the Rio Grande.
Workers from the Mexico side of the river built the dam after the City of Matamoros, across the river from Brownsville, became seriously short of water. Farmers on the U. S. side of the river protested.
After the shutdown yesterday the water flow increased until it swept over the dam and on toward the El Jardin water district which has been without water for irrigation purposes for 30 days.
E. J. Gilson, manager of the water district, said the situation should improve rapidly now for farmers in the arid area.
At one time yesterday the flow in the river reached 21 cubic feet of water per second. Mexican workers tried unsuccessfully to build up the dam and hold back the water.
In Mexico yesterday Mexico's minister of hydraulic resources, Adolfo Orive Alba, said he would discuss the problem of Matamoros' water supply directly with the U. S.-Mexico Water Commission.
He said the problem will solve itself late in March when the first irrigation period is finished in the El Azucar region. When this area has enough water for planting, a supply of 5,544 gallons per second can be turned into the Rio Grande for the supply of both the U. S. and Mexican sides.
TO ATTEND FESTIVITIES
Austin, Feb. 14. (AP)—Gov. Allan Shivers plans to attend George Washington Birthday festivities in Laredo Feb. 21 and 22, his office reported today.

Markets

Markets at A Glance
New York, Feb. 14. (AP)—
STOCKS—lower; rails and steels decline.
BONDS—Corporate lower; Governments firm.
COTTON—firm; trade buying.
Chicago:
WHEAT—weak; March down most.
CORN—easy; lack of demand.
OATS—easy with corn.
HOGS—steady to 25 cents higher; top \$18.50.
CATTLE—unevenly 50 cents higher to 50 lower.

Chicago Grain Futures

| Chicago, Feb. 14. (AP)— | Wheat: | Open | Close |
|-------------------------|----------|----------|-------|
| March | 2.54 1/4 | 2.52 1/2 | |
| May | 2.51 1/4 | 2.49 3/4 | |
| July | 2.45 1/4 | 2.44 1/4 | |
| Sept. | 2.46 1/4 | 2.45 1/4 | |
| Dec. | 2.50 | 2.48 1/2 | |
| Corn: | | | |
| March | 1.83 1/4 | 1.82 1/4 | |
| May | 1.85 1/4 | 1.84 1/4 | |
| July | 1.85 1/4 | 1.85 1/4 | |
| Sept. | 1.81 1/4 | 1.81 | |
| Dec. | 1.71 1/4 | 1.71 1/4 | |
| Oats: | | | |
| March | .83 1/4 | .83 | |
| May | .83 1/4 | .83 1/4 | |
| July | .82 | .81 1/4 | |
| Sept. | .81 1/4 | .80 1/4 | |
| Dec. | .82 1/4 | .82 1/4 | |

Fort Worth Livestock

Fort Worth, Feb. 14. (AP)—
Cattle 500; calves 300; steady; slow. Medium to good slaughter steers and yearlings 28.00-32.00; beef cows 20.00-23.00; good and choice fed calves 30.00-34.00; plain and medium 23.00-30.00; medium and good stocker steer yearlings 28.00-32.00; stocker calves 26.00-35.00.
Hogs 800; butchers steady to 25 lower; sows and pigs unchanged; choice 180-270 lb. butchers 18.25-50; choice 160-175 lb. and 280-400 lb. hogs 16.50-18.00; sows 14.00-15.00; feeder pigs 10.00-14.00.
Sheep 1,000; killing classes scarce; feeders weak; common to medium short feeder lambs 17.00-24.00; woolled feeder lambs 25.00; woolled feeder yearlings 16.50-17.50.

Fort Worth Cash Grain

Fort Worth, Feb. 14. (AP)—
Wheat No. 1 hard 2.67 1/4-72 1/4.
Corn No. 2 white 2.25 1/4-30 1/4.
Oats No. 2 white 1.12 1/4-13 1/4.
Sorghums No. 2 yellow milo 3.09-14.

New Orleans Cotton Futures

New Orleans, Feb. 14. (AP)—Cotton futures advanced here today on trade buying and short covering. Closing prices were steady, \$1.40 to \$1.85 a bale higher.
Open Close
March 40.25 40.38
May 39.63 39.88-90
July 38.91 39.24
October 36.62 36.91
December 36.55 36.68

New Orleans Spot Cotton

New Orleans, Feb. 14. (AP)—Spot cotton closed steady, \$1.50 a bale higher. Sales 1,091. Low middling 36.25; middling 40.25; good middling 41.25. Receipts 17,256. Stock 254,187.

Hospital Briefs--

Admissions:
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Sharon Kay Schulz.
Mrs. W. E. Gillum.
Mrs. John Killough.
Norman Bellar.
Mrs. W. W. Winters.
Carolyn Gurke.
Albert Kohl.
J. D. Hendrix.
Mrs. Ruth Williams.
Discharges:
Mrs. C. W. Wages and baby girl.
Mrs. Iva Tigrett.
Mrs. W. C. Bishop.
Mrs. Connie Anderson.
Mrs. James Reed.
Charles Schur.
Mrs. P. J. Parkhill.
Mrs. Verna Pearson.
Mrs. M. L. Criswell.
Mrs. David Bray.
Births:
Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Keyes, a girl.

Wife of Slain Man Testifies

Centerville, Feb. 14. (AP)—Mrs. G. W. Langham described in court here yesterday the involved disagreement over a painting bill that took place before her husband was fatally shot June 22, 1951.
Dr. Thomas C. Cole, Huntsville physician, is on trial charged with murder in the shooting.
Mrs. Langham said on cross examination that her husband, a Huntsville painting contractor, had contracted to paint Dr. Cole's new home and the painting was done in August, 1950.
She said the original contract called for \$1,840, but a bill of \$1,465.50 was sent for extras.
Defense Attorney J. J. Collins introduced a series of checks, two for \$800 each and one for \$239.50 written Dec. 15, 1950, the latter bearing the notation: "This is final and total payment for all work and materials done by G. W. Langham and his employees."

Edwin Smith--

(Continued from Page 1)

medical testimony concerning the state of Smith's mind.
All three doctors testified that Smith was of unsound mind and had shown definite paranoid tendencies for the past several years.

Dr. Rogers labeled his trouble as a form of "dementia praecox" and explained that it was the belief of persecution and fear of bodily harm.

J. Z. Munn, Lee Goodpasture, J. S. Mason, E. H. Wilson and Clayton Veto were also introduced as defense witnesses.

The state introduced Clinton Russell, deputy sheriff, who read the statement made by Smith to District Attorney Leon Douglas. Also appearing for the state was Cal Jenkins, brother-in-law of the slain man, who told of events of the shooting.

The state rested its case at 11:20. The charges were prepared by the court and read to the jury and the jury retired at 12 o'clock, noon. After deliberating only five minutes, the jury brought in its verdict and ruling.

The courtroom was only about half filled during the hearing and those present filed quietly from the room after the ruling was returned.

The jury was composed of Hugh Rape, J. T. Rainwater, Morris Vessels, Darrell Shelton, George McNabb, Howard Brock, Clois Fowler, Lester Boyd, Maurice Henderson, Raymond C. Thompson, Kenneth Dockery and John Martin.

Party Line--

(Continued from Page 1)

nell Ice Cream Company, from which he went to the Ford Motor Company in 1930. In 1934 he became commercial salesman for B. F. Goodrich in Dallas, and he showed such promise that the company made him territorial manager for Goodrich in the Cleburne district in 1937. His work was winning him attention, and here he gained much experience. Then in 1939 the company made him territorial manager at Paris, and the next year they transferred him to Vernon as territorial manager. With this experience behind him, he took over the B. F. Goodrich store here in October 1942, and has continued in that capacity since.

Mr. Hill is active in the Lions Club, and a community builder all the way. He and Mrs. Hill, the former Hester Garrison of Cooper, have two children: Kathryn, a sophomore at Texas Christian, and a son, Dan, attending junior high here.

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27c

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3-Minute or Quaker

15c

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3 Cans

29c

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25c

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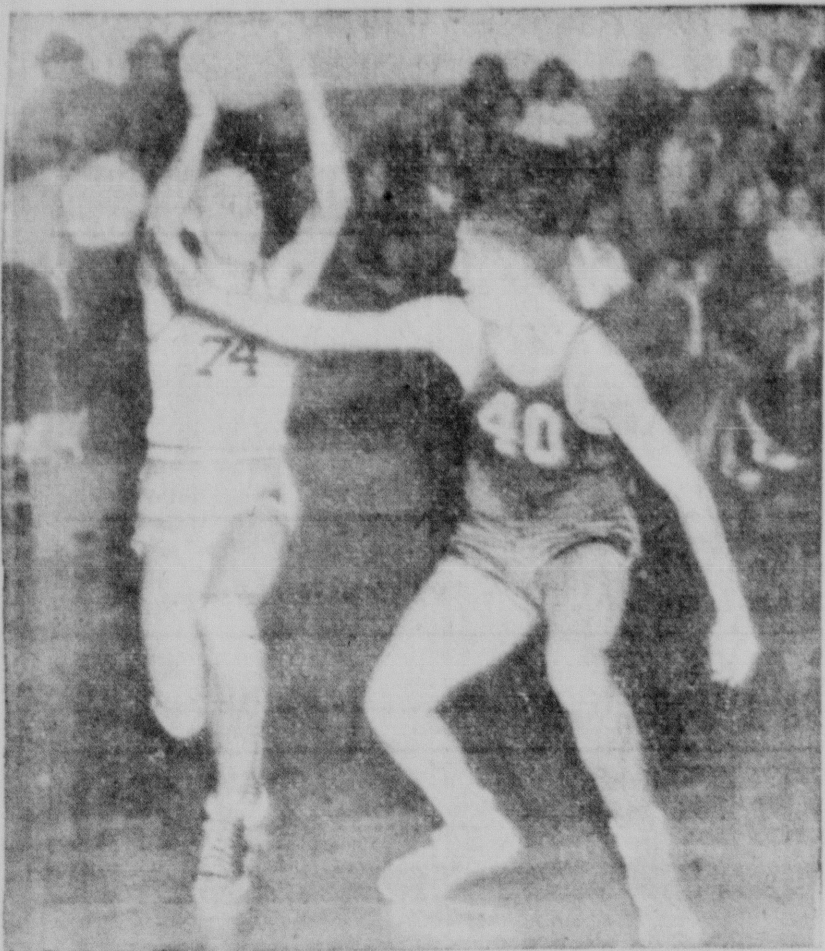
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LAMESA . . . TOP SCORER IN ACTION—Don Stevens, Lamesa's high-scoring ace, left, is encountering difficulty in attempting a shot from guarding

by Plainview's Wayne Taylor. The action took place in a recent game. Lamesa has clinched the District 1-AAA title. The Tornados meet the Lions here Friday night.

Two Contests Are Slated On Saturday

Vernon Lion fans will get a look at the class of District 1-AAA cage teams Friday night when the champion Lamesa Tornados move in for the next-to-last game of the season for the Lions.

The Lions will be host to the Midland Bulldogs Saturday night to wind up the 1-AAA season. The Vernon B Squad will play Oklahoma in a preliminary game Saturday night starting at 6:15.

The Tornados have 16 wins and 9 losses for the season—eight of the wins have been consecutive in 1-AAA play.

Don Stevens, leading scorer in District 1-AAA, has posted 322 points for the season. Ramon Towry paces the Lion scorers with 216 points. Stevens has been in 25 games and Towry has appeared in 20 games.

The Lamesa starting quintet includes Center Carlos Berry, Forwards Don Stevens and Johnny Randolph and Guards Jerry Millapps and Ray Taylor or Jerry Howell. All are seniors except Berry.

Lamesa has an 8-0 record in district play and have already won the championship. Vernon has posted a 3-5 district mark.

Dusters Purchase Veteran Fielder

Off the Record

By Bill Werley Sports Editor



Yesterday, I brought you my views on the signing of Harold "Spot" Collins as head coach at Vernon High School.

Today, I would like to bring you excerpts from two letters written to the School Board concerning the ability of Collins.

One comes from a fellow well known here. He is former Breckenridge High School coach and now assistant coach at Texas University—Eck Curtis.

Of Collins, Curtis says: "The service record of Spot Collins is almost fantastic and truly almost unsurpassed, both in World War II and the Korean conflict. He began at the University of Texas in the Marine Reserves as a private and now has reached the rank of captain.

"I know of no person more endowed with competitive spirit than Spot Collins. He is at his best when the going is tough. His inspired leadership as a player at Breckenridge High School gave us great success athletically.

"I feel that he can do an excellent job anywhere he might be located. He can stand on his own feet regardless of competition."

Then comes the following letter from H. C. "Bully" Gilstrap, also an assistant coach at the University of Texas:

"Measuring morale, spirit, determination and leadership, Spot Collins is one of the best athletes I have ever had the pleasure of coaching.

"His military record, which I am sure you are interested in, has been outstanding. He has done our country a great service and is capable of doing a great service for young men under him in his coaching profession.

"If I had the responsibility of hiring a young man to coach my son on a high school team, I know of no one I had rather hire than Spot Collins."

There you have two recommendations from men who know football and know coaches.

They have revealed that Spot Collins has all of the requirements of being a great coach.

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Box Seat Sales Moving Nicely For '52 Season

Manager Chet Fowler of the Vernon Dusters today announced the purchase of Ernie Klein, Cuban classman who performed last year with Ardmore of the Sooner State League.

Klein, a six foot, 180-pound outfielder, throws and bats from the right side. He hit .301 with Ardmore last season and had 114 runs batted in.

Fowler said that he expected Klein to greatly aid the Dusters this year. The Cuban speaks fluent English and would be a great help if other Cubans are signed by the Dusters.

The Duster manager said that box seat sales for this season were going along good. He said that a few that had box seats last season had not contacted the Duster management about seats this year. He asked that all people who had seats last season and want seats this season to contact the Dusters as soon as possible.

The purchase of Klein brings to two the number of Dusters under contract for 1952. Audie Malone, right hand hurler, had previously signed his contract.

Second Place Play-Off Set Between Harrold, Lockett

The play-off for the second place trophy in District 28-B opens tonight at Harrold between the Hornets and the Lockett Panthers.

The Hornets and the Panthers finished the season with identical 6-4 records. Harrold lost to Valley View twice, Oklahoma and to Lockett. Lockett dropped two to the champion Valley View team, one to Odell and one to Harrold.

The second game of the series will be played at Lockett on Tuesday night with the third, game, if necessary, scheduled for the following Tuesday night (Feb. 25) on a neutral court.

The second place winner will receive a district trophy.

Valley View won the boys championship and Lockett the girls title. Northside was runner-up in the girls' race.

The two champions will enter Regional play in March at Dallas.

Browns, Tigers In Player Swap

Detroit, Feb. 14. (AP)—The Detroit Tigers and the St. Louis Browns today announced a seven-player trade in one of the Winter's largest baseball deals.

General Manager Charlie Gehringer of the Tigers said the trade would send Tiger pitchers Bob Cain and Gene Bearden and first baseman Dick Kryhoski to the Browns.

In return the Tigers get catcher Matt Batts, outfielder Cliff Mages, pitcher Dick Littlefield and infielder Benjamin Taylor.

Baseball Wins Salary Dispute

Washington, Feb. 14. (AP)—Baseball has won its argument with the Salary Stabilization Board—and it may cost it some money.

John Kieran, former sports columnist for the New York Times and editor of the Information Please Almanac, has sided with baseball in its contention that:

1. The so-called bonus to a youngster to get him to sign his first contract should not be figured as a part of the club's regular payroll. This payment, Kieran decided, "is, in effect, an outright sale of property" and not a salary.
2. Baseball is a sport where one sees "the hazards of competition, the fluctuating fortunes of teams, the varying skills of players, the swift changes in the course of pennant races." Because of this, he said, the Board should provide "flexibility" in dealing with baseball finances.

Kieran's decision was made in the form of recommendations to the Board. He is a member of a salary board panel on professional sports, and listened to baseball's arguments in a special hearing in New York on Feb. 6.

The recommendations would be a modification of the original policy laid down on Jan. 17. The Board then suggested two ways for a club to figure its limit on 1952 payrolls:

1. It could take its 1951 payroll total and not exceed it.
2. It could take its total salary payroll for one year, 1946 through 1950, and use it, plus up to a 10 per cent increase.

Texas Open Golf Tourney Moves Into First Round

San Antonio, Feb. 14. (AP)—A field of 169 moved out today in the first round of the 25th Texas Open Golf Tournament. There was no outstanding favorite, a situation that has prevailed all along the winter tournament trail this year.

The reason is obvious—there have been six tournaments and six different winners.

Top players absent include Cary Middlecoff, Memphis, Tenn., the year's leading money winner and victor at El Paso last week-end, and E. J. Harrison, St. Andrews, Ill., last year's Texas Open champion. Middlecoff has gone home for some hay fever shots. Harrison is out with a back injury.

But practically all of the others

who have been playing the winter tour, plus a couple of new ones—Ed Oliver and Henry Ransom—are here and the par 36-35—71, 6,400-yard Brackenridge Park course is due for probably its steadiest hammering. There is the free prediction that the 72-hole record of 264 will be bettered. There also would be no surprise if the course record of 60, which also is a PGA record for 18 holes, were bettered.

Ben Hogan set the 72-hole record in 1946 and Sam Snead equaled it in 1948. Neither of those players is here. Al Brosch, Gardena, N. Y., who is again playing in the tournament, established the course and PGA record of 60 last year. Bill Nary, Albuquerque, N. M., who equalled this record at El Paso last week, also is in the field.

Sixty-three players gained spots in the Open yesterday in qualifying rounds at the Willow Springs course. They were survivors of a field of 218. Young Billy Efurth, San Antonio, an amateur who has been following the golf tour for four weeks, led the qualifying rounds with a six-under-par 65 over the 6,578-yard course. Tying for second were Mike De Massey, Palo Alto, Calif., and Art Wall, Honesdale, Pa., who shot 68's. It required a 75 to qualify for the Open.

There were 80 tournament players exempt from qualifying. The Texas PGA got 17 places and the tournament sponsors nine to make the field 169—nine larger than had been planned.

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Bradley Five Posts Upset Over Billikens

Peoria, Ill., Feb. 14. (AP)—Bradley University's basketball team, in the midst of a recession from the heights of previous seasons, regained the old touch last night and set back highly-favored St. Louis University, 61-60.

Pickings haven't been exactly meagre for the Peoria Braves this season. It was the second time they had knocked over the Billikens, the previous victory coming at St. Louis in a double overtime, 57-56. The Braves now boast a respectable 14 won, 10 lost record.

It was the fifth defeat for the Billikens, who lead the Missouri Valley Conference with six straight victories. Their overall season record is 17-5.

Games such as last night's thrilling conquest of St. Louis, ranked seventh nationally in the Associated Press poll, have been rare this year for Bradley.

In the three previous seasons, Bradley won 91 games and lost only 19. And the Braves were picked tops in the country at the end of the 1949-50 season in the AP poll.

Coach Fordy Anderson of Bradley, rebuilding this year after pre-season involvement of much of last year's squad in the bribing scandal, found a hero last night in Harvey Babetch, freshman substitute.

Babetch entered the game in the last few minutes and it was his basket and free throw which broke a 58-58 tie, providing Bradley's last three points and the margin of victory. A subsequent goal by the Billikens' Fred Kovar narrowed the gap.

Princeton surprised Columbia, 70-63, to become a strong contender for the Ivy League title. First place Cornell, unbeaten in league competition, won its sixth straight by swamping Harvard, 69-44.

In other games Georgia Tech downed Auburn, 58-50; LaSalle crushed Penn, 74-58; Florida took Georgia, 74-60; New Mexico beat Arizona State (Flagstaff), 74-56, and San Jose State nipped San Francisco, 41-40.

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Marciano Whips Savold Seventh

Philadelphia, Feb. 14. (AP)—Aster has to have his annuities paid up before going against Rocky Marciano.

Marciano, the hard punching heavyweight from Brockton, Mass., only beats his opponents into submission, but he sends him scurrying for a rocking chair retirement.

Like last night when to all intent and purposes he ended the career of the veteran Lee Savold. There is no exaggeration to say that Marciano slaughtered Savold. The 34-year-old Englewood, N. J., fighter was a blood-soaked hulk when his manager, Bill Daly, asked Referee Pete Tomasso to stop the uneven match at the end of the sixth round.

"He will was there but not the fight," said Daly. "I'm going to advise Lee to retire from the ring tomorrow."

John (Ox) Dagrosa, Pennsylvania State Athletic Commission, said he was going to suspend Savold indefinitely and ask him to retire.

Sound familiar? He should. Almost the same sequence of events followed Marciano's eight round knock out of Louis four months ago. After once proud Brown Bomber was draped over the ropes, he too was urged to retire by both loyal followers and some boxing commissions.

Savold never had a chance last night. The unbeaten Marciano barged across the ring from the left bell, smashed two tremendous left hooks into Savold's face and then unmercifully cut down the bigger opponent. Marciano weighed 186½ and Savold 200 for the scheduled ten rounder. The announced attendance was 9,243 and the gate a disappointing \$61,000.

Despite his easy victory—Marciano won every round—the Rock was far from satisfied. Asked how he felt after cutting Savold's eyes and the veteran's lip so badly it needed stitches, Rocky said, "I wasn't sharp at all. I need to be sharper. A four month lay-off is too much."

COACH NAMED
Cameron, Feb. 14. (AP)—Leo Jackson, Greenville coach the last two years, has been named head coach at Cameron high school. He was announced yesterday he will succeed Paul Smith, who resigned to become coach at La Grange.

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Dark Confident Over '52 Season

Miami, Fla., Feb. 14. (AP)—Al Dark is getting a bit tired of people asking, "How are you going to get along without Eddie Stanky?"

With all due respect to his good pal, Eddie, the handsome New York Giants' shortstop-captain feels he'll be able to stand on his own two feet.

"Sure we're going to miss Eddie," he said between rounds of golf at the Miami Springs Country Club.

"How can you help missing a fellow who gets on base over 250 times a year? Eddie got 127 hits and 127 walks. Nobody does better than that."

"But I don't think his going will affect my play or his. Why should it? I think that might have been built up a little too much."

"They have broken up double play combinations before and it didn't wreck either man. Phil Rizzuto worked with Gerry Coleman for years. When they put Gil McDonald on second, they still made the plays."

"Don't get me wrong on Eddie. He is a wonderful guy, one of my best friends. I think he's going to be a big help to the Cardinals. Even though it will make things tougher for us, I was glad to see him get the chance."

"Eddie and I worked together four years—two at Boston and two at New York. He taught me plenty."

Only Manager Leo Durocher knows who will be Dark's mate at second base this year. But it probably will be Dave Williams, who moved up from the Minneapolis farm in mid-season.

Basketball Results
(By The Associated Press)
Princeton 70 Columbia 63.
Cornell 69 Harvard 44.
Seton Hall 66 Rutgers 42.
Army 62 Amherst 50.
Georgia Tech 58 Auburn 50.
Florida 74 Georgia 60.
Bradley 61, St. Louis 60.
Cincinnati 68 Xavier (O) 63.
New Mexico 74 Arizona State (Flagstaff) 56.
San Jose State 41 San Francisco 40.

TITLE ON LINE
Austin, Feb. 14. (AP)—Stocky Pete Gil of Austin puts his Texas middleweight boxing champion on the line tonight against former champion Irish Jimmy Curl of San Antonio in a 10-round bout. Curl lost the title in 1950 when he decided to campaign out of the state as an eighth ranking middleweight.

CULPRITS NABBED
Jamesburg, N. J., Feb. 14. (AP)—The culprits who "stole" two-mile-square Lake Manalapan have been apprehended. The artificial lake disappeared Tuesday night when its floodgates were opened. Only mudflats remained yesterday where once there was 20 feet of water. Police announced two 14-year-old boys had admitted opening the gates in an effort to retrieve their rowboat which had drifted to the middle of the lake.

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"Retreat, Hell!" Here Thursday

An all-Texas premiere of the new U. S. Pictures production for Warner Bros., "Retreat, Hell!" in honor of Texas-born Marine Corps Maj. Gen. O. P. Smith, will be held throughout the Lone Star State beginning Feb. 14 as a tribute to the fighting exploits of the First Marine Division in the battle of the Chosin Reservoir and the break-out to the sea at Hungnam in North Korea. It was General Smith, commanding the division, who made the comment destined to go down in American history, "Retreat, Hell! We are just attacking in a different direction." It will start at the Vernon Theatre Thursday for three days.

General Smith is now the commanding general at Camp Pendleton, Calif., where "Retreat, Hell!" was filmed with the co-operation of the Marine Corps. Frank Lovejoy, Richard Carlson, Rusty Tamblyn and Anita Louise have the starring roles in the motion picture. Hundreds of Marine veterans of the Korean fighting participated in the battle sequences depicted in the production, for which Capt. Richard S. Read, a Purple Heart survivor of the Chosin action, was the technical adviser. Included in the cast were Peter Ortiz, a colonel in the Marine Corps reserve and one of World War II's most decorated fighting men, Mort Thompson, a Marine captain in World War II, and Joseph Keane, who was mustered out of the Marine Corps just in time to put the uniform on again as an actor.

AFTER GHOST

Copenhagen, Denmark, Feb. 14. (AP)—An annoyed committee of parliament today appointed a guard to be armed with the "biggest truncheon to be found in the country" to lay low the ghost that has been haunting Christiansborg Castle. The ghost has turned on lights in committee rooms when no one is present. Mysterious sounds of coughing are heard in the night. On occasions an old alarm bell is rung, bringing firemen to the castle—seat of the Danish House of Parliament—in early morning hours.



Korean Front—Frank Lovejoy, Rusty Tamblyn and Richard Carlson in a scene from the new film, "Retreat, Hell!" a U. S. Pictures production for Warner Bros.

Texas Ranges in Poor Condition

Austin, Feb. 14. (AP)—Texas range feed is at the lowest condition level in 17 years, the United States Department of Agriculture reported today.

Condition as of Feb. 1 was rated at 61 per cent. Not since the 1934-35 period of severe drought and dust storms has it dipped so low. The 10-year average is 78 per cent.

Over the eastern third of the state, moisture from scattered showers along with warm January weather was bringing along much needed small grain, clovers and winter grass. In the north-west moisture from the early January sleet and snow temporarily revived wheat, but moisture was again needed to maintain development.

In all other areas, ranges were reported practically bare and heavy supplemental feeding has been necessary. Settling dust from the early February dust storm lowered palatability of the hot dry grass which was still available.

General rains are urgently

needed to bring on new green feed, USDA said.

Cattle were holding up primarily because of heavy supplemental feeding and the unusually warm January weather. Most farmers and ranchmen reduced herds during the fall and are now reconciled to large feed bills to carry present herds. They are hoping for spring rains to start new feed.

Condition of all cattle was reported at 74 per cent, one point below a month ago and five points below the 10-year average.

RELEASED ON BOND

Lufkin, Feb. 14. (AP)—Hollis Perry, an officer in a local dry goods store, has been released under \$2,000 bond on a charge of intent to murder filed after a shooting here yesterday. Police Chief George W. Powell, who arrested Perry, said the shooting took place at a meeting of the store's directors Monday. Powell said Perry allegedly fired a bullet from a foreign-made pistol at John S. Redditt, former State Highway Commission chairman, who is now general counsel for the store. Redditt was not hit. Powell said. The cause of the shooting was not reported.

CLOSED BY STRIKE

Mexico City, Feb. 14. (AP)—A printers strike closed 25 of the capital's leading job shops today. The strikers are asking wage increases and modifications in their new labor contracts. The strike began at midnight, involving about 800 print shop employees. Another 1,500 printers in 73 other city shops pledged one day's pay to the strike fund.

STUDY UNDER WAY

Tempe, Feb. 14. (AP)—U. S. Senator Lyndon Johnson says his Senate "watchdog" committee is now studying the quantity and quality of equipment being produced for the armed forces. Johnson hopes to make a public report about the

middle of March on the findings. The Senator arrived here last night by plane from Washington for the meeting today of directors of the Scott and White Hospital.

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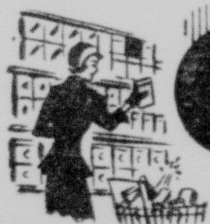
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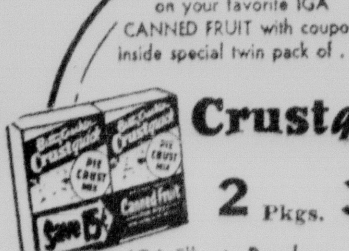
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Forgotten Man in Korea Is Nation's Valentine Today

By HAL BOYLE
Tampa, Fla., Feb. 14. (AP)—The forgotten man in Korea is the nation's Valentine today. He is a pretty much taken for granted. And the war he is engaged in is less on the lips of his countrymen than the subject of international politics. Traveling about the country, you cannot help being struck by how much talk there is about the coming election, and how little there is about the conflict in Korea. The weary months of truce negotiations, the long and intricate bargaining over terms for a cease-fire, have more and more eased the Korean stalemate into the background of the national consciousness. It is truly becoming a "forgotten war."

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here in the war. But now days go by, and I don't even read about it myself. Isn't that a shameful thing to have to admit?"

It is a terrible thing, but a very normal human reaction. The farther away a war is, the longer it drags on, the less you think about it unless you have someone dear to you involved in it.

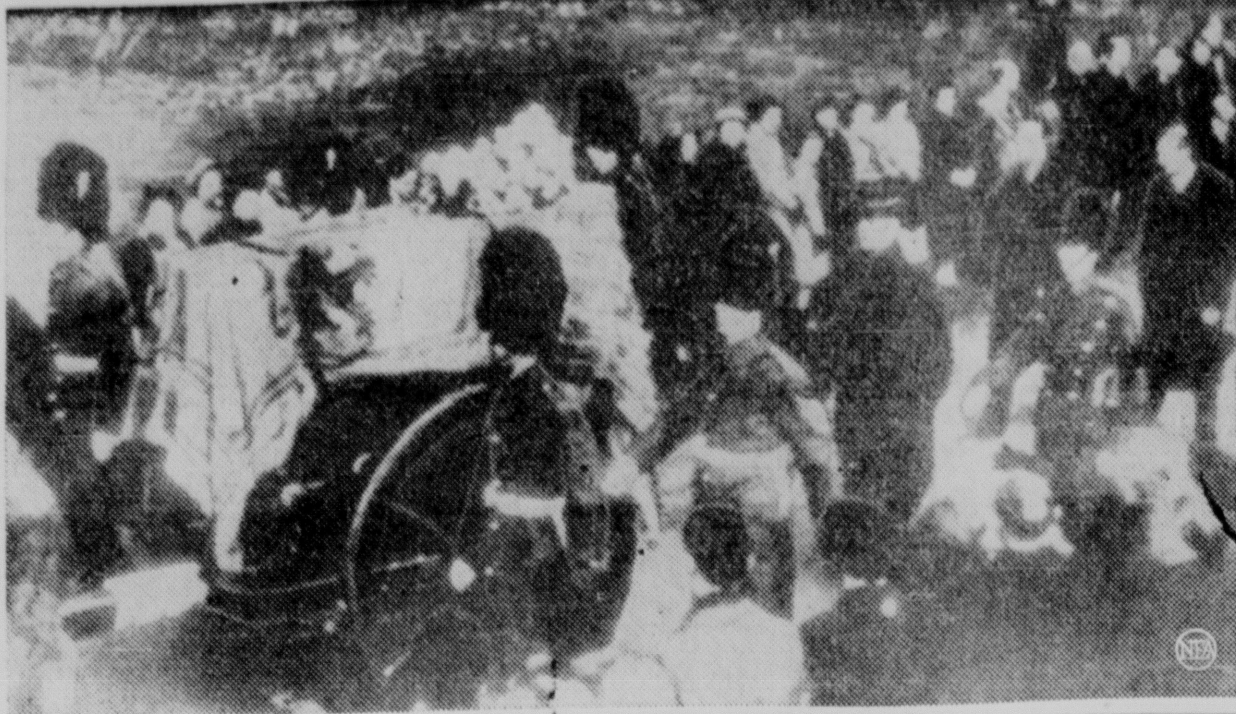
Among those who do discuss the war there is a growing, bewildered anger. There is a kind of vague clamor for more drastic action.

"I think it's time for us to quit being Russia's puppet," said a manufacturer. "Why don't we march into Manchuria and end it?"

Why not march into Manchuria? Many infantry leaders feel it would only mire us more deeply in a rutted Oriental landscape, where we might suffer millions of more casualties without achieving a final military decision.

They fear this would only widen the area of stalemate and spread our resources more thinly, opening a wound we couldn't close without a tremendous third world war.

The American soldier will have a lonely time this Valentine's Day, holding a nameless hill in a half-forgotten war the folks back home don't even like to talk about much any more.



FAREWELL TO A KING—A large but silent crowd watch in sorrow as the gun caisson bearing the body of King George VI. surrounded by an honor guard and followed by the Duke of Gloucester and the Duke of Edinburgh in civilian clothes, leaves Sandringham for London where the body will lie in state until Feb. 15.

Industry Profits Said Overstated

New York, Feb. 14. (AP)—A steel company official today said CIO economists "overstated" industry profits by not making the same allowance for 1951 values that the union used in computing steelworkers' wages.

board of Youngstown Sheet and Tube Company, made the statement as hearings resumed before a special six-man panel of the Wage Stabilization Board.

Goal of the panel is a formula to avert a threatened strike of 650,000 CIO United Steelworkers Feb. 24. The hearings have been in recess since Saturday.

In the contract dispute, the union is seeking an 18½-cent-an-hour wage increase and improvements in "fringe benefits," such as holiday, vacation, overtime and night differential.

Purnell said in a prepared statement that Youngstown's "real net profits" in 1951 would be 3.9 per cent of "adjusted net worth" if the union applied a 1951 yardstick.

However, Purnell said, the CIO economists do not change the net profit and net worth figures and

calculate Youngstown's 1951 profit at 10.7 per cent.

"The union quite properly insists upon translating the dollars received into terms of 'real' wages," he added. "Admittedly, it does not profit a man to receive more dollars if those dollars will not buy more things."

"But the union completely refuses to make parallel corrections for the earnings of the employing company."

RANCHER FOUND DEAD

San Angelo, Feb. 14. (AP)—Clifton Wilson, 45, Eden, Texas, rancher, was found dead in a pasture near here yesterday, his face beaten and his throat slashed. Murder charges were filed against Johnnie Farmer, 34, San Angelo. Farmer had not been arrested yet.

Murder Suspect 'Dies' in Jail

Kingsville, Feb. 14. (AP)—A migrant, 68, held on a charge of murder, died last night in a jail cell shortly after leading officers to \$2,670 hidden in his junk-filled trailer home.

Sheriff Jim Scarborough said J. L. Powers fell and struck his head on the floor of the cell. The Sheriff said Powers had been treated by a physician recently for a heart ailment.

Justice of the Peace T. A. Simmons, Jr., withheld a verdict.

Powers was arrested after Frank Zapata, 45, was shot fatally and Lawrence Freeman, 50, was critically injured at the trailer park. He led officers to his trailer, which they said was filled with junk.

Officers found the money in three tin cans buried in the floorboards of the trailer and in a hand made chest. The money apparently had been hidden for some time.

Notice is hereby given that the arrangement lately subsisting between Clyde L. Smith and Dale Hall under the trade name and style of North Texas Glass and Mirror Company, has been dissolved. All debts owing to the concern are to be received by the said Clyde L. Smith and all demands on the concern are to be presented to him for liquidation. Not responsible for merchandise left over 30 days.

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STAGE PROTEST

Brussels, Feb. 14. (AP)—Socialists and Liberals stalked out of the House and Senate for the second day in succession today in protest against King Baudouin's decision not to attend King George's funeral in Britain. The Socialists and Liberals announced they would boycott all Parliament meetings until after the funeral of King George. During a debate before today's walkout, Social Christian Premier Jean Van Houtte was repeatedly called a liar.

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Dallas Author Speaks at Laloli Club Guest Day

The Yamparika Clubhouse was the scene of the Laloli Club's annual Guest Day. Mrs. Estelle Blanton Barber of Dallas was presented in a program reviewing her own book, "Jesus in Portraits of Verse."

Mrs. Barber is the director of Christian education at the First Methodist Church in Dallas and is an authority in her field. She is also a member of the television staff of the church which presents a weekly television show. Her books on Christian education are in wide use all over the world. She is a popular speaker, having done approximately 70 radio, tele-

vision and personal appearances on this book in the past few months.

Mrs. Barber told her audience that the book shows Jesus in a series of 25 portraits taken from the gospels. She then read from memory seven of the portraits including "At Jacob's Well," "Throughout Galilee," "Welcoming the Children," "The Last Supper," "In Gethsemane," "The Crucifixion," and "The Resurrection."

Mrs. Earl Mason played appropriate music as the club members and their guests arrived and were served refreshments of home-made cake and coffee.

The serving table was decorated with an imported linen cloth and a centerpiece of iris and Spring shrubbery. Other Spring flowers were used throughout the clubhouse.

Hostesses for the occasion were the members of the social committee, Mesdames E. H. Whorton, Jr., Ross Hendricks, William L. Baskerville, J. W. Courtney and Paul Owen.

Approximately 75 members and guests were present.

Annual Banquet Held Tuesday by Sodalitan Class

Members of the Sodalitan Class of the First Baptist Church enjoyed their annual Sweetheart Banquet Tuesday night in the dining hall of the church youth building. Husbands of the members were special guests.

The Valentine motif was used throughout the decorations with heart arrangements of red and white carnations on the speakers table and red roses on the banquet table.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mesdames Jack Cook, T. M. Smith, Ellis Eubanks, Chester Bolton, Tom Brannon and Leo Cannon.

The invocation was given by Johnnie Rainwater. Following the meal a welcome was given by Mrs. Houston Belew, president of the class.

Mrs. C. V. Nowlin was in charge of the evening's program. A selection of songs was sung by the Starlighters, a group of girls from the high school chorus. Members of the group were Marilyn Hildebrand, Jo Boyd, Alice Garlington, Peggy Vaughn and Catherine Hall. They were accompanied by Betty Hodges. Several numbers were played on the musical saw by Mr. Mason, accompanied by Mrs. Mason.

Rev. Kenneth L. Teegarden, pastor of the Central Christian Church, was guest speaker for the evening.

Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames W. T. Belew, Herman Ridgeway, H. B. Dockery, Harris Belew, Roy Martin, Jr., M. L. Raabe, A. D. Estes, Clois Sharp, Ray Coleman, Victor Robinson, W. H. Streit, William L. Baskerville, Lloyd H. Jackson, Johnnie Rainwater, C. V. Nowlin, Paul J. Brown, H. P. Hill, Houston Belew, Roy Norsworthy, Joe B. Wolverton, Gene Boyd, B. F. Dixon, Leo Cannon, T. M. Smith, J. S. Cook, Ellis Eubanks, Chester Bolton and Tom Brannon; Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Muirhead; and those taking part on the program.

YOUNG PEOPLE MEET

All of the young people's group of the Second Baptist Church met on Monday. There were 35 young people present. Valentines were taken to shut-ins by some of the girls' groups.

DEADLINE EXTENDED

Dallas, Feb. 14. (AP)—The U. S. Department of Agriculture has announced an extension of time for filing comments on the proposed San Antonio milk marketing order. The new deadline is Feb. 25.

Second Baptist WMU Has Program

The WMU of the Second Baptist Church met Monday afternoon for a Royal Society program.

The meeting opened with prayer by Mrs. Raymond Bagley. Mrs. Glen Reaser of the Aiko Taira Circle was in charge of the program on "Ministry of Prayer" and gave the introduction.

Following a group hymn, Mrs. W. A. Haire gave a reading accompanied by Mrs. L. L. Emmons at the piano. The reading was followed with slight prayer, concluded by Mrs. J. O. Kinsey, "Sweet Hour of Prayer" was sung by the group. The Aiko Taira Circle presented a playlet with Mesdames T. J. Davidson, Kinsey, Bagley, Emmons, E. H. Stogdill and Haire taking part. Testimonies of five missionaries were given. The concluding portion of the program was presented by Mrs. Reaser.

Mrs. E. L. Blackburn, WMU president, conducted a short business session.

Mrs. Marvin Hines dismissed 26 members with prayer.

Social Calendar--

Thursday, Feb. 14
Robinson-Chaney Unit No. 67, American Legion Auxiliary, "School Kid" costume party for members and their husbands at 7:30 p. m. in the Legion Hall. Guests to bring paper sack lunches.

The Business and Professional Women's Club will meet at 6:45 p. m. in the Canton Cafe. Public Affairs Committee in charge.

First Baptist Ruth Class supper at 7 p. m. in the basement assembly room of the church. Husbands to be guests. The nursery will be open.

Blue Bird Dad-Daughter Banquet at 6:45 p. m. in the dining room of the First Baptist Church youth building.

Friday, Feb. 15

Northside P. T. A. meeting at 2:30 p. m. in the school gymnasium.

Catalpa Grove No. 100, Woodmen Circle, will meet at 7:30 p. m. in the WOW Hall.

Camp Fire Dad-Daughter Banquet at 6:30 p. m. in the dining room of the First Baptist Church youth building.

First Baptist Althean Class covered dish luncheon at 1 p. m. in the church parlor.

The Lion's Den will be open for senior high members only from 7 to 11 p. m.

Saturday, Feb. 16

Beta Gamma Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma, national honorary society for women educators, will have tea for women teachers of Wilbarger, Ford and Hardeman counties from 3 to 5 p. m. at the Hill Crest Country Club. Pioneer teachers of the area will be guests of honor.

The Lion's Den will be open for all members from 2 to 5 p. m. and for junior high members only from 7 to 10 p. m.

Monday, Feb. 18

Mia Slavenska and her Ballet Variante, Wilbarger Memorial 8:15 p. m., presented under auspices of Community Concert Association.

The Auxiliary to Ray Cox Post 4747, Veterans of Foreign Wars, will meet at 7:30 p. m. in the VFW Hall.

The circles of the First Methodist WSCS will meet for continuation of their present study as follows: No. 1, Mrs. R. S. McConihe, 2120 Texas, 3 p. m.; No. 2, Mrs. John Eldridge, 1915 Gordon, 3 p. m.; No. 3, Mrs. Marvin Sharp, 2519 Paradise, 3 p. m.; No. 4, Mrs. Oran Key, 2106 Beaver, 3 p. m.; No. 5, no meeting planned; No. 6, Mrs. Jimmie Murrell, 2020 Mesquite, 9:45 a. m.

Tuesday, Feb. 19

All-day meeting of the Rayland Home Demonstration Club in the home of Mrs. Ed Lehman. Covered dish luncheon at noon. The topic for the day will be "Preparation of Frozen Meats."

Talent Night To Be Held in Auditorium

Talent galore will be spilling off the stage of the new Memorial Auditorium when the Hawkins School P. T. A. stages its Talent Night show on Feb. 29.

The program committee has lined up one of the most unusual shows this county has seen in many a moon, and a bushel of laughs will be provided for all.

Advance sales on tickets will start Feb. 21. Tickets may be purchased from any classroom teacher; T. G. McCord, principal of Hawkins; or Mrs. Lew Groves, 2501 Tolar Street. Admission will be 40 cents for adults and 10 cents for children in grade school.

All of the proceeds of the show will be spent to drape the auditorium windows at Hawkins School so that the room may be blacked out for educational movies shown at the school. Only 2,000 tickets will be sold, and a seat will be assured upon purchase of a ticket.

Ass'n. WMU Meet Held Tuesday at Calvary Baptist

A Baptist Associational WMU meeting was held Tuesday afternoon at the Calvary Baptist Church in connection with the monthly Associational Workers Conference.

Following a luncheon, the WMU meeting convened at one o'clock with Mrs. Roy Stonieser presiding in the absence of the president, Mrs. George Snell.

The meeting was opened with songs and prayer. Mrs. Kade West presented a devotional on "Going About Doing Good," as applied to home mission work. A special musical number was given by Mrs. Lester Farr and Mrs. Wilson Collins, both of Odell. Mrs. H. H. Scherer of Fargo, Associational community missions chairman, reviewed a WMU study book on community mission work.

The attendance award of a mission study book was given to the Thalia society. A vote of thanks was extended to the Calvary Baptist Church for the meeting.

During the business session attendance of the District Convention at the First Baptist Church in Wichita Falls on March 4, was stressed. Announcement was made that Southside WMU workers would be in this district to give instruction to each association at a date which will be announced later.

The meeting was closed with prayer, dismissing approximately 100 members.

Theta Rho Girls Honored Tuesday

In observance of Youth Week, proclaimed by the Odd Fellow and Rebekah lodges for the first week in February, the Vernon Rebekah Lodge entertained with an open house Tuesday night at the Odd Fellow Hall honoring local Theta Rho girls.

Mrs. Bob Hammack was director of the program for the evening. Mrs. H. T. Wages, noble grand, welcomed the girls and their parents. A skit, "Road of Fraternity," was presented by Rebekah members.

A musical program was presented by Theta Rho members and followed by a drill by all the Theta Rho girls. Twyla Parr played a piano solo; a humorous musical skit was presented by Sandra Clark and Rosemary Wendt; Frances and Betty Jones sang a duet; and a piano duet was played by Marsha Fields and Shirley Rogers.

A Valentine theme was carried out in the hall and table decorations for the event. Refreshments of pie and coffee were served to approximately 75 guests.

Mozart Club Has Program Meeting

The Mozart Club met Tuesday evening, Feb. 12, with Miss Beth Wright and Miss Maggie Ruth McCaleb acting as hostesses.

A brief business session was conducted by the president, Mrs. Jake Riggins. The club elected three new members, Mrs. James Keith, Miss Beatrice Ramsey and Mrs. G. F. Hemphill.

Mrs. H. T. Cardwell was program director for the evening. She introduced each number by telling something about the author and his compositions. Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Dugas played "Melody in F" by Rubinstein. A violin solo of "Liebestraume," by Liszt, was presented by Mrs. R. D. Beazley. She was accompanied by Mrs. Lawrence McCaleb. Concluding the program, Mrs. McCaleb played a piano selection, "Moonlight Sonata," by Beethoven.

Refreshment plates, colorfully decorated in a Valentine motif, were served by the hostesses to Miss Ruby McWilliams and Mesdames Beazley, Cardwell, Dugas, McCaleb, Bob Cates, Denton Rose, Riggins and Jim Whitfield.

Wesley Chapel Church Entertains Students

A deputation team of students from McMurry College was entertained last week-end by the Wesley Chapel Methodist Church in Lockett. Members of the team were Nelda Vaughter, Tommy Russell, Betty Foster, Orlo Mitchell and James Littlepage.

A party was given for the team members Saturday night. The young people of the church and the members of the team were guests at a dinner in the Roscoe Wiseman home on Sunday.

All church services on Sunday were conducted by the McMurry students.

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Peace Lutheran Women Meet at Parish Hall

The Women's Society of the Peace Lutheran Church held a regular meeting recently at the Parish Hall, with Mrs. W. J. Nielsen as hostess.

Roll call was answered by nine members. Mrs. Jenny Foerster was in charge of the Bible study from II Peter. A magazine quiz was conducted by Mrs. H. C. Geller. A film, "How Lutheran Women Work," depicting mission work in Japan, China, India and other countries, was shown.

During the business session it was voted to prepare a box for the State Hospital at Victory Field. Reports on ill members and birthday cards were made.

At the next meeting Mrs. Foerster will present the topic, Mrs. H. K. Haseloff will give the Bible study and Mrs. Nielsen will be in charge of the magazine quiz. The place of the meeting will be announced at a later date.

The meeting was concluded with prayer.

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Circus Birthday Party Honors Vicki Henderson

Vicki Henderson was honored on her sixth birthday, Monday afternoon, with a "circus" party given by her mother, Mrs. Henry Henderson, in their home at 2203 Wilbarger Street.

The circus motif was carried out in decoration for the party and included two large birthday cakes, one designed like a merry-go-round. The little guests were entertained with movies and games during the afternoon. Game prizes were won by Mary Jo Madden and Judy Hansard. Movies were also made of the afternoon's activities.

Those attending were Carol Sue Dixon, Laura Jean Connor, Elizabeth Bond, Rita Link, Margaret Wittlinger, Ricki Lynn Huntley, Gayle Huntley, Sharon Kay Johnson, Leslie Duckworth, Nita Lynn Krebs, Carole Sanders, Alana Parker, Gloria Jean Kern, Mary Jo Madden, Karen Anderson, Judy Hansard, Linda Hamm, Vicki Henderson, Monte Mason, Larry Loop-

er, John Thomas Estes, Michael Dillard, James Franklin Dillard, Vicki Taylor and Mesdames John Wittlinger, Gerald Carter, C. C. Hamm, Bill Bond, Bill Kern, Ed Krebs, Dale Parker, D. Estes and Henderson.

Odell MYF Entertains McMurtry Student Team

The Methodist Youth Fellowship of the Odell Methodist Church entertained five members of a deputation team from McMurry College and Rev. Doyle Ragle with a banquet Saturday evening.

The Valentine theme was carried out in decorations and place cards. A heart centerpiece surrounded by red and white carnations was used on the dining table. A large red heart behind the table was inscribed with "Greetings, McMurry."

Rev. Ragle gave the invocation. Introductions were made by Rev.

O. M. Butler. Following the dinner, games were enjoyed under the leadership of Mrs. O. M. Butler.

Those present were Rev. Ragle; Rev. and Mrs. Butler; Richard Sell, Norma Gibson, Dorothy Wolf, Edward Cooper and Joe Allen from McMurry; Carolyn Bell, Donald Caldwell, Rex Gibson, Mary Smith, Donald Bennett, Jerry Bell, Robert Davis and Wayne Bennett of the M. Y. F.; and two guests, Shirley Ross and Janice Mabry.

JOINS AP

Los Angeles, Feb. 14. (AP)—Rafu Shimpou, the largest Japanese language daily in the U. S., joined the Associated Press' leased wire network today. The paper has a circulation of 8,000 daily.

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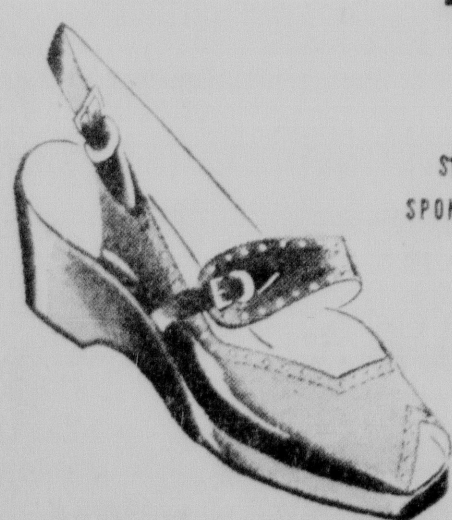
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Phillips Honors Four Employees

The Phillips Petroleum Company honored four of its long-time employees at a banquet held in the Canton Cafe banquet room here Wednesday night.

More than 40 employees of the company were present for the ceremony. A. Maloney, Claude Ramzy and J. G. Thomas, all of Grayback, were given Hamilton watches for their 25 years of service with the company.

Receiving a 20-year pin was Joe Taylor, also of Grayback. Master of ceremonies for the program was C. L. Montgomery, district superintendent of Wichita Falls.

Other Phillips officials present were G. J. Turner, division superintendent of Oklahoma City; John Daxon, with the industrial relations department, also of Oklahoma City, and L. B. Seymour of Wichita Falls, chief clerk.

Former Odell Student Is in Marine Corps

Billie G. Haynes, son of Mrs. L. W. Henderson of 2801 Pearl Street, is now undergoing training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego, Calif.

The 23-year-old former Odell High School student was inducted in the Marine Corps at Albuquerque, N. M., recently.

During the eight-week "boot camp," as recruit training is commonly called, Private Haynes will become well versed in such basic military subjects as precision drill, first aid, Marine Corps history and mission and field tactics.

POPULATION DROPS

Berlin, Feb. 14. (AP)—Higher death rates and growing anti-Communism have dipped East Germany's population sharply in the last year, a survey showed today. The West Berlin Research Institute said the East Zone population has fallen to a new low of 17,300,000 and that at least a half million men, women and children have fled to the West in 1950 and 1951. Western Germany, in the meantime, has grown from 46 million several years ago to approximately 48 million now.

Gold Continues to Flow to United States From Europe

By SAM DAWSON

New York, Feb. 14. (AP)—Gold continues to flow from Europe to the U. S.

The French financial crisis revives talk of a possible devaluation of the franc, although the Paris Government stoutly denies it has any such plan.

The royal pageantry surrounding the ascension of a queen to Britain's throne has diverted attention from England's financial plight. But there are reports her gold and dollar reserves are continuing to drop, despite the strenuous efforts of the Churchill Government to halt it.

Britain has said that the gold and dollar reserves of the sterling area must top two billion dollars for "minimum safety." It is reported the January drain on her reserves pulled them below this figure.

The U. S. on the other hand, raked 236 million dollars more of gold during January. Since last July 1, this country has added \$1,241,000,000 to its store of gold.

In large part this was due to our booming foreign trade. Last year we sold more than 15 billion dollars worth of goods abroad. We bought nearly 11 billion dollars worth of foreign goods, a record for any one year.

But that four billion dollar difference is the trouble spot for the

rest of the world. It means they owe us four billion dollars over and above the amount of goods they were able to sell us. They pay the difference with gold—or with dollars that the U. S. taxpayer gives them in loans and grants.

Britain has cut back her buying from us drastically, but even so she had a trade deficit of 296 million dollars in January. France had a 100 million dollar trade deficit in January.

Both countries to lay most of the blame on the arms program which the U. S. sponsors for the free world. They charge, first, that we have cut back our buying of raw materials from them unnecessarily—citing tin and rubber stockpiling slowdowns in this country. And they charge, secondly, that we have raised the price of our raw materials which they must buy from us if they are to rearm.

But bankers here say that European defense efforts haven't played as large a part as that. They say Europe was buying raw materials for many other reasons—paying premium prices for copper and lead, for example, in the same great civilian rush to buy that twice swept this country during periods of war jitters.

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Washington, Feb. 14. (AP)—People in the time of Jesus Christ were "just like the men in Washington tonight," Evangelist Billy Graham said, except they missed a chance at salvation without knowing it.

An estimated 8,000 persons at the National Guard Armory last night heard the young preacher continue:

"The blood of this city won't be on my hands. For four solid weeks I've preached the gospel here, and I want to tell you there's one sin men won't be forgiven as long as the world lasts. That's turning down Jesus Christ when they had a chance to accept him."

Graham's capital crusade, begun Jan. 10, ends next Sunday.

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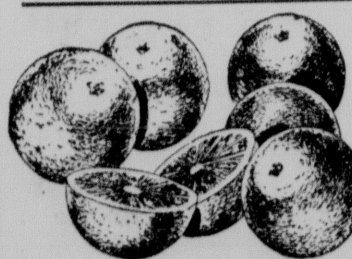
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TIME FOR CONGRESS TO EMULATE PRESIDENT

Agreement seems to be fairly general that anywhere from \$8 to \$10 billion ought to be trimmed out of the budget recommendations of President Truman for the coming fiscal year. Both Republicans and Democrats in Congress have stated their convictions along this line, and logic would suggest that such a reduction not only can be done without seriously impairing any essential activity, either civil or military. If nothing else the signs that our economy will not stand the strain of spending approximately \$85 billion in the twelve months beginning next July.

If we cannot raise the money without wrecking our economy, then ways should be found to make the reductions. It is nonsense to argue that we cannot afford to assume the risks of bringing expenditures within the Government's income.

But Secretary of Defense Lovett went before a Congressional committee the other day and said the budget was cut to the irreducible minimum before it was sent to Congress. He said the original estimates of the military budget-makers called for spending \$80 billion on the army, navy and air force alone, not counting expenditures for other purposes. This figure was trimmed to about \$52 billion, according to Mr. Lovett.

That sort of reasoning is worse than useless. To be told that those who make up estimates for the armed forces really would like to have \$80 billion to spend in the coming fiscal year means nothing. Nobody ever would be able to satisfy the wishes of those whose only thought is to find ways of spending money. And the unfortunate aspect of this whole situation is that advocates of the huge spending program couch their requests in such an overwhelming mass of detail that nobody—literally nobody—has either time or the necessary understanding to be able to point out specific places where cuts can be made.

The budget that goes to Congress is a huge book. It contains hundreds of pages of figures and hundreds of thousands of items. What actually happens is that the President throws the book at Congress and says askings are at very minimum. What Congress should do is to throw the book right back at the President and tell him to have his experts cut about 20 per cent from the total. Any other procedure would be waste of time.

EISENHOWER SUPPORTERS FACE OBSTACLES

A serious blow was dealt to boosters of General Eisenhower for President the other day when it was announced that their candidate has no intention of returning to this country prior to the nominating conventions, around the middle of July. The General's campaign managers had been hoping that he would come home a few weeks ahead of the opening of the Republican national convention for the purpose of making appearances at a few strategic places.

In that way they hoped to stir up a wave of popular enthusiasm that would insure the nomination of their candidate. But several things are in the way. President Truman has stated General Eisenhower can get his release from active duty for the purpose of entering politics any time he requests it but that he will not voluntarily suggest that the General return home. He even went on to say he knows of no probable developments which would require a personal conference between himself and the commander of the Allied forces in Western Europe.

All these factors add up to a situation where General Eisenhower will stay at his post in Europe until he personally requests the President to release him. This fact probably explains why it was announced that General Eisenhower has no intention of coming home prior to the Republican national convention. If he should be nominated, of course, that would be a legitimate reason for asking to be relieved of his present command. On the other hand, considerable hazard is involved in any other procedure. He might come home and still fail to receive the nomination and he couldn't go around the country making speeches while still on active military duty.

Plainly the General is not being very helpful to his friends who are trying to elect him President of the United States. On the other hand, the present occupant of that office is not simplifying the problem.

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Just a Matter of Taste

PRIMARIES ARE EYEWASH
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Industry Fights Controls, Even as Truman Asks More

By SAM DAWSON

New York, Feb. 14. (AP)—Industry's drive to crawl out from under controls grows more clamorous. It coincides with President Truman's appeal for tighter controls.

And into this picture steps the incoming price stabilizer, Ellis Arnall, with a promise to study the chances for decontrol—where that wouldn't hurt "the rest of our production."

Many products are selling below ceiling prices—when they sell. And the men who make and sell them contend that price controls are just nuisances. They also charge that the red-tape involved in keeping all the material control records and conforming to all the inventory regulations is costly and crippling to business.

In the demands for decontrol are representatives of the food industry, and makers of tires, textiles, clothing and shoes. And, surprisingly enough, the steel and lead industries say that their once critically scarce products are moving over into the category of abundance.

The President, however, says that inflation may soon be a threat again. He wants tighter controls to hold down the cost of living and warns Congress: "Most people are already having trouble paying present prices. For their benefit, we should be working, not to legislate formulas for raising prices, but instead to find ways of moving prices downward, as increasing productivity and more production makes that possible."

Those who want decontrol contend that prices are more likely to go lower if the law of supply and demand is freed from Government interference. But Arnall says, "We must not hasten headlong into decontrol." DiSalvo, outgoing price stabilizer, has a committee studying decontrol. But it's hard to let go of a bear's tail without getting clawed. OPS wonders if it can let go of one industry without hurting other still-controlled industries it supplies.

Some enemies of the control system suggest the best way would be to give arms makers first call on materials—and then drop other controls altogether.

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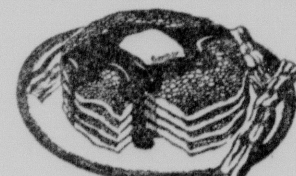
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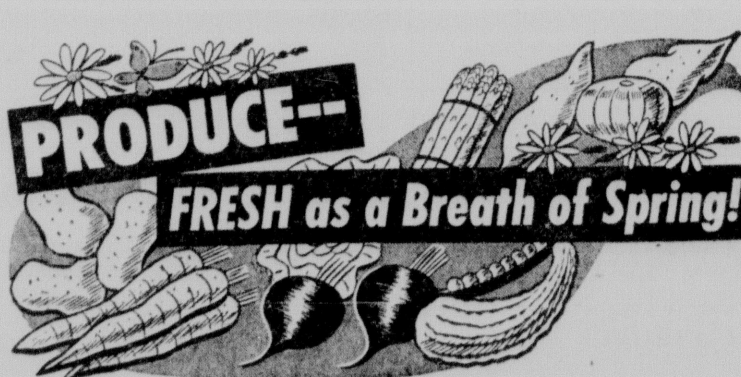
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CELERY HEARTS Cello Pack **23c**

Queen Isabella STRAWBERRY FRUIT SPREAD 2 Lb. Jar **49c**

HEREFORD NEW POTATOES No. 2 Can **10c**

FROZEN ORANGE JUICE FLORIDA GOLD 7 Cans **\$1.00**

DEL MONTE SLICED PINEAPPLE 4 No. 2 Cans **\$1.00**

BRIGHT & EARLY COFFEE 6-oz. Pkg. **29c**

BATH

CAMAY 2 FOR **25c**

REGULAR

CAMAY 3 FOR **25c**

LARGE

IVORY SNOW **29c**

LARGE

IVORY FLAKES **29c**

PERSONAL

IVORY 3 FOR **18c**

MEDIUM

IVORY 3 FOR **27c**

LARGE

IVORY 2 FOR **27c**